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A NNOUNCEMENT.—FIRST ANNUAL EXCUR-sion of Ouondago Tribe, No. 10, I. O. R. M., will be at Colonial Beach, on the Steamer Arrowsmith, MON-DAY, June 27th. Tickets, 50c.; for sale at Droop's Music Store, and by the members. OWER CEDAR POINT,

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ialf price. To be obtained from members or SECOND ANNUAL EXCURSION OF THE NA-tional Association of Stationary Engineers, No. 1, to River View, Friday, June 17, 1887, on Steamer Mary Washington, Dancing on the boat and at the

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.—THE COpartnership heretofore existing between W.
R. Hall and T. S. Denham, under the name of Hall &
Denham, House Painters, is dissolved this 14th of June,
1887, by mutual consent. Thomas S. Denham will
continue the business. All persons having oills against
said firm will present them to T. S. Denham and he
will receive payment of all debts due the firm. W. R.
HALL, T. S. DENHAM. Je15-3t* THE SUPPLEMENT OF THE EVENING STAR to-day contains: The Report of the Board of Visitors to the Naval Academy, Proceedings of the Public School Board, Bishop Keane on Dr. McGlynn, The Proposed Catholic University, Another Defeat of the Washington Club in Boston, Telegraphic Dispatches, &c. The advertisements are classified as follows: Auction Sales, Educational, Summer Resorts, Proposals, Financial, The Trades, Dentistry, Family Supplies, Pianos and Organs, Ladies' Goods, Hotels, Railroads, Potomac River Boats, Ocean Steamers, Housefurnishings, Books, Attorneys, Sewing Machines, Wood and Coal, Medical, Professional, Undertakers.

GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS TO-DAY .- Internal revenue, \$227,067; customs, \$833,688.

INVESTIGATING THE WYOMING COAL FIELD ROUBLES.-W. H. Browning, special agent of the National Labor Bareau, is in Wilkesbarre, Pa., for the purpose of investigating troubles which have existed for the past seven years between operators and employes in the Wyoming coal fields. He will pegin his labors at once, and will make a report as the cause of the strikes and lockouts which en place at various times in that region

steam vessels for the first district, San Francisco, and Hyman Abraham, of Oregon, to be collector of customs for the district of Willamette, Oregon. AN AMERICAN WIDOW MURDERED IN NICARAGUA. The Department of State has received from the consular agent at San Juan Dei Nold, Nicaragua. The same convention nominated Hon. John S consular agent at San Juan Dei Nold, Nicaragua, a report of the murder of an American widow. Mrs. Lydia J. Thurburn, at the head waters of Great River, in Nicaragua. The murdered woman was engaged in business on a reservation, and is believed to have come from Cincinnati. The

LEAVE TO RETURN HOME .- Passed Assistant Surgeon S. H. Griffiths has been detached from the Lancaster, at Montevideo, and granted permission to return to the United States at his own ex-

THE NORTH ATLANTIC SQUADRON arrived at New

May 23, states that the Marion arrived at Chemulpo, Corea, May 16, and that the Brooklyn, Essex, Omaha, Monocacy, and Palos were at Yoko-hama. THE EASTERN BRANCH BRIDGE.-The board of

will hold a final meeting this afternoon, and will probably submit their report to the Secretary of War through the Chief of Engineers to-morrow. CAPT. JNO. D. HALL, assistant surgeon, has been granted one month's extension of leave. NAVAL ORDERS.-Surgeon James M. Flint detached from the Albatross and ordered to report

to Prof. S. F. Baird, U. S. Commissioner of Fish

THE "ROYAL TEA AND COFFEE Store," 3273 M st., Georgetown, are selling their goods lower than any similar store in the District. Give us a call. and Fisheries, for special duty. Surgeon A. T. Price from duty at the Naval Academy and wait orders. Pay Director J. E. Thornton as general storekeeper at the navy-yard, Boston, on the 30th inst., ordered to settle accounts and wait orders. Paymaster J. W. Beaman from present duties on ROYAL HOT AIR FURNACE, FIRST-class Latrobes and Ranges McGrath's Hand-made Mantels, Murphy's Arctic Milk-Can, scientific in the 30th inst., and ordered as general storekeeper THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION has directed that the examination for promotion in the Surgeon-General's Office be postponed until after ex-

rendered necessary at the beginning of the next PHOSVITE.—THIS COMBINATION, OF Calisaya, Wild Cherry and Horsford's Acid Phosphates, is a popular and efficient Brain and Nerve Tonic, and a safeguard against Malaria. Sold at MIL-EURN'S PHARMACY, 1429 Pennsylvania ave., in bottles or on draught with soda water. among the clerks who are found deficient in examination. The War Department promotion board has submitted a list of questions for these examinations, and they have been partially approved by the Civil Service Commission. THE PERMANENT BOARD OF PROMOTION under the newly-adopted civil-service rules has not yet been

to constitute it of the best material in the Departments, and the Department chiefs are averse to giving up their best clerks for this purpose. Deposits. Exchange. Loans. Collections.
Railroad Stocks and Bonds, and all securities listed on the Exchanges of New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Baltimore bought and sold.

A specialty made of Investment Securities. District Fends and all Local Railroad, Gas, Insurance and Tele-Among the President's Callers to-day were Senators Call and Pugh, Commissioner Morrison, Collector Trenholm and Deputy Controller Abrahams; Representatives Holman, with Col. Shoe-

dall, Second Assistant Postmaster General Knott, Judge A. B. Carlton, chairman of the Utah commission; Judge Cothran, of Chicago, and Mrs. Belva Lockwood; ex-Representative Hopkins, of Pa.; Register of Wills Claggett and Collector Bishop, of Cincinnati.

New York during the absence of Consul-General Yoshido Jiro, who has gone to Japan.

York, in its June issue contains a portrait of Maj. Edmond Mallet, of this city, with a sketch of his life.—C. H. Chappell of Chicago, and Geo. Wilson and Chas. Obery of New York, are at Wilson lard's.—Among recent arrivals at the Waverly, Ocean Grove, N. J., are T. F. Schneider, the archiect, R. H. Willet and family, and Mrs. M. E. Martin, of Washington .- Leonard swett of Chicago, C. F. Duffy of New York, and W. W. Hite Louisville, are at the Riggs.—C. A. Vignes and L. de N. Garnault, of Paris, E. Towers of London, and Thos, R. Wheelock of Shanghai are at Welckers.—Geo, Gray of New York, and E. W. Weddabaugh of Detroit are at the Arlington,-Chas, D. Rhodes of West Point, is spending his vacation at his home in this city. -- Ex-Representative La

drives out to Oak View at 4:30 in the afternoons, regales himself for an hour and more with country air, and returns to the White House at 7, and eats a solitary dinner. Gen. and Mrs. Ricketts and Miss Daisy Ricketts coast of Maine. Mrs. Dolph returned from her trip north yesterday afternoon. Leaving West Point on Saturday, he became the guest of Mrs. and Miss Floyd Jones n New York City.

Mr. Hermann K. Viel is spending the summer on Co. for the battle-ship. The armored cruiser will the Tenleytown road, beyond Washington Inn. Mr. Viel and Miss Wharton, daughter of Dr. Wharton, of the State Department, will be married in September. Mrs. John P. Stockton and Miss Julia Stockton left on Saturday for New York city, where they will remain for a fortnight. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stockton, jr., who were married in New York on the 8th, came down on Thursday and escorted Mrs. Stockton to the city. The whole party will spend the summer at St. Catherine's, Canada. There was a quiet home wedding at 2218 H street this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The contracting parthis afternoon at 2 o'clock. The contracting par-ties were Miss Gertrude Freudenthal, daughter of Mr. Wm. H. Freudenthal, and Mr. W. W. Pilking-ton. The service was performed by Rev. Mr. Hol-den, assistant rector of St. John's church. The bride wore an elegant traveling dress of dove's-breast cloth, with bonnet to match, and she wore diamond carrings brooch and bracelets and a diamond earrings, brooch, and bracelets, and a watch, the gitts of the groom. She was given in marriage by her father. At 4 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Pilkington took the train for Philadelphia. Their home will be on Columbia Heights, Brooklyn. Gen. Van Vliet and family leave for Shrewsbury,

N. J., to-morrow morning. Mrs. Capt. Breese has rented her cottage at

Muddle Settled by the President.

The internal revenue trouble in North Carolina f consolidation designated Collector Boyd, a resident of the fourth district, to be the collector of the new fifth district, in which Maj. Dowd resided. senators vance and Ransom and Representative lenderson recently called upon the President and laid the whole case before him. The President considered the matter very carefully, and finally concluded that the only way out of the difficulty was to select a new man. It was conceded that Collectors Boyd and Dowd had been faithful officers, but it was feared a decision in favor of either yould necessarily wound the feelings of the other. Mr. Craige was therefore selected, upon the recommendation of Senators Vance and Ransom, who both heartily indorse him. He stands very high in North Carolina and is a lawyer of ability. enters upon the duties of his office on July 1. He is a son of the late Hon. Burton Craige, member Congress for several successive terms. Mr. Kerr Craige has served in the state legislature,

PAVING AROUND THE TRACKS A New Order for Direction of the Street Railway Companies.

An important order was made by the District Commissioners to-day. It authorizes the street railway companies to pave between the tracks with asphalt blocks, and between the rails of each | of all parties concerned. track with granite blocks at the street intersections. In his letter recommending this order Capt. Eugene Griffin states:

be paved with Belgian blocks, in case the Commissioners so direct, and at street intersections 'the pavement between the tracks of such railway shall conform to the pavement used upon such shall conform to the pavement used upon such street or avenue.' The railway companies contend that this last quoted law does not apply to inter-

asphalt block, as I have previously recommended In case the companies refuse to comply with the Commissioners' orders and the District undertakes | that he will complete his work on Saturday next. engineer officers appointed to consider the details | the work at the expense of the companies, we are of the construction of the Eastern Branch bridge | met with the difficulty that there are no Belgian blocks on hand, and the use might lead to difficulties. opinion the asphalt pavement is preferable for such work." Capt. Griffin thinks that the asphalt block pavement, the first cost of which is less than the

Belgian block, is, so far as the public is concerned

the best pavement of the two for inter-track pur-

War on the Caterpillars. THE PARKS.

in the parks. I agree fully with the man who suggested that there should be a bug law just as there is a snow law." The Police Star Chamber. STEALING CASE. rather operate to its detriment.

allow reporters to be present at the trial, because, he said, the rules and regulations do not provide for the trials to be in public, and because the pubstated that he pleaded guilty and made a stateat Wormley's.—La Feuille D' Erable, of New and the members of the board were kept busy some time hearing the testimony. The cases were taken under consideration, and the findings will be promulgated in a few days. Ships for the New Navy.

BIG ARMORED VESSELS. Engineer Kiersted, Commander Goodrich, Lieut. Knox, Assistant Naval Constructor Bowles and for that length of time and lighted at night. Messrs. Burgess and Wilson, appointed to select partment's offer of \$15,000 each for two accept-Shipbuilding Company, of England. This plan presents the somewhat remarkable feature of having the water line well protected by heavy armor, and also the guns on the upper deck, but of leaving the intermediate space between the upper and lower decks wholly without protection, being nothing there of importance. The buoy ancy of the ship is well assured by a deflective deck at the top of the water-line armor. The board came to no decision in the selection of a design for the armored cruiser, which is practically an accept ance of the Department plans for this vessel, which were prepared by Naval Constructor Wilson, as was confidently expected would be the case. It now transpires that the disagreement in the board at the time of the first report was with relation to the armored cruiser, but all were agreed upon the Naval Constructor Wilson and his assistants. from the Barrow Ship-Building Co., England; Lieut. W. I. Chambers, U. S. Navy; M. T. Clayton, Aukland, New Zealand; A. H. Grandjean, St. Nazaire, France; Naval Constructor S. H. Pook, U. S. Navy; George Frothingham, the Thames Iron Works and Snip-Building Co., London, England; Capt. L. Tonns, 164 Maiden Lane, New mitted by the Barrow Ship. Building Co., England;

Plans for the armored battle-ship were sub-William Douglass, Galveston, Tex.; Francis L. Norton, 633 F, street northwest, Washington, D.C.; the Thames Iron Works and Ship-Building Co., London, England; Capt. L. Tonns, 164 Maiden Lane, New York; John Watt, Birkenhead, Eng-land. The plans of N. Y. Clayton, Capt. L. Tonns, Wm. Douglass, Francis L. Norton and John Watt do not conform to the requirements of the Depart-

SENSATION CASE TO BE BROUGHT INTO COUR HEAR.

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NEW COLLECTOR APPOINTED. AN ELOPING WIFE NEAR DEATH. THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE SCAN-The North Carolina Internal Revenue Determined to Kill Herself Because Her Lover Committed Suicide.

Yesterday Mrs. Nannie Rodgers, a rather goodas been settled by the action of the President in looking woman, who lives at No. 1241 Delaware ppointing Kerr Craige, of Salisbury, N. C., the avenue southwest, made two desperate attempts collector for the new fifth district. The three col- to commit suicide, and it is probable that the secand about a week since he committed suicide by jumping overboard in Hampton Roads. Since the publication of the circumstances of his death Mrs. Rodgers has been despondent, and expressed her determination to die. Yesterday morning she procured a loaded pistol, and pointing the muzzle to her heart pulled the trigger, but just as she did so Mrs. Pearson struck the weapon, and the ball passed through Mrs. Rogers' skirts. She was quite angry when the pistol was taken from her, and vowed that she would succeed, but the inmates of the house thought that she would not put her threats into execution. About 5 o'clock in the at-ternoon she was found in convulsions, and it was ascertained that she had taken a dose of arsenic or strychnine. Dr. Holden was at once called in, and attempted to get her to take antidotes, but she resisted. Finally by hyperdermic injection, she was relieved and was sent to Providence Hospital. She is not entirely out of danger yet, but had recovered sufficiently last evening to say that it was but a question of time, as she would kill her-self as soon as she got out.

District Government Affairs.

THE POLES ON CAPITOL HILL. THE POLES ON CAPITOL HILL.

The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company began the work of erecting poles on Capitol Hill this morning. Mr. C. P. Lincoln, the attorney who was retained by the people of the Hill to defend their interests, was met by a STAR reporter to-day at the District building. He stated that the matter has been arranged to the satisfaction of all parties concerned.

THE NEW WEIGHTMAN SCHOOL BUILDING, on the corner of 23d and M streets northwest, was ompleted to-day. This building is one of the \$40,000. A janitor will be appointed to take care of it until the commencement of the new school

ANOTHER SCHOOL-HOUSE TO BE FINISHED SATURDAY. The contractor who is erecting the new school building on B street northeast, between 12th and 13th streets, has reported to the building inspector THE NEW POLICE REGULATIONS. o'clock yesterday afternoon in discussing the new

they will be in condition for publication. BIDS FOR GENERAL SUPPLIES. The Commissioners to-day opened bids for furhishing general supplies to the District, including school books, stationery, fuel, hardware, meat and miscellaneous articles. There were over 70 bidders, and the bids were being scheduled this af-

HOTEL MEN PROTEST AGAINST WATER METERS Hotel-keepers of the city have petitioned the Commissioners to delay any further action in the matter of requiring them to put meters in their hotels to determine the supply of water used in them. They claim that by the 23d section of the act of the corporation of Washington, of June 2 n front of the writers' residences are cleared of 1859, it is left discretionary with the proprietors of hotels to place within their premises a water meter. The delay is desired in order that the hotel

Mr. Thos. W. Smith, the owner of the new District building, in speaking of its condition to-day liquid, as has been proposed, but expressed an un-willingness to adopt a measure that might do more harm than good. "I would rather let more harm than good. "I would rather let vet." said: "I am ready for the Commissioners to send

COMPLAINT ABOUT & FENCE.

necessary.

greatest pleasures is to wander around under the trees and gather leaves. As children are not always careful about what they put in their mouths it would be very unwise to spray the leaves with poison, which might do more damage | to be removed, and the building line established. to the children than to the worms. There is no The Commissioners replied to-day that property risk about finding the nests and destroying their | owners who make such complaints should employ the surveyor to determine the proper lines.

tract for grading and regulating Virginia avenue southeast to Mr. James Reynolds. The contract was originally awarded to Reynolds in Augus 1886, but never carried out for the reason that no schedule of street improvements was advertised some days ago this avenue was included, and Wm. Police, for taking a magnolia bloom from one of the trees in the Capitol grounds was begun before tract. Mr. Reynolds filed an objection, stating the trial board to-day. Major Moore declined to that as it was through no fault of his that he was prevented from carrying out his contract, it should be properly awarded to him. The Commissioners perceived the justice of Reynolds' request and reawarded it to him. His bid is \$9,463.47. CONTRACTS AWARDED. The contract for cleaning alleys was yesterday

awarded to W. E. Hadge for \$8,000. For furnishfeet, for \$10,530; 6-inch pipe, 10,000 feet, for \$4,860; 4-inch pipe, 15,000 feet, for \$4,482; 3-inch pipe, 10,000 feet, for \$2,371.75; special castings, J. T. Springman & Son, 1,000 pounds, for \$2,500. REPAIRS OF ASPHALT PAVEMENTS The Commissioners have ordered that hereafter

when cuts or repairs are made to asphalt pavements with hydraulic concrete bases, a bituminous ase shall be used instead. The reasons for this change are that the hydraulic base, when laid in a cut, forms no bond with the adjoining base; and also that where these bases are put in two or three days must elapse before the surface can be put on, necessitating that each little patch be barricaded BID ACCEPTED.

The bid of Edwards & Co. to furnish the District and an armored vessel of the same size from the competitive designs received in answer to the De-

The contract for improving the Bladensburg road has been awarded to Talty & Joyce. Their

The report of Health Officer Townshend for the past week shows: Number of deaths, 86; white, 42; colored, 44. Death rate per 1,000 per annum white, 15.32; colored, 31.59; total population 21.81; 34 were under five years of age, and 1: over sixty years. The principal causes of death were: Consumption, 14; diarrhœa, 6; pneum 2. Births reported: 12 white males; 17 white fe males; 11 colored males; 8 colored females. Marriages reported: 9 white; 7 colored.

MISCELLANEOUS. Col. P. C. Hains has requested the revocation of the appointment of R. J. Collins as additional D. C. Fountain has requested permission to hold e Commissioners has bee called to the need of street-lamps on I, from 8th to 11th streets, and other defects of the highway in that vicinity. Alexander McKensie has been appointed veterinary surgeon for the District of Columbia, vice C. L. Moulton, resigned. The Commissioners have ordered that the drycloset system be put into the Abbott, Henry, Peabody and Garnett school buildings.

The Commissioners, in response to a petition from Mr. G. B. Towles, have ordered that Clifton street be sewered, graded, curbed, and paved under the compulsory permit system.

Senator Cockrell was not present at the conference of the Commissioners.

Ben: Perley Poore's Will. The will of Maj. Ben: Perley Poore was probated yesterday in Newburyport, Mass. After bequeathing the Georgetown (Mass.) estate to his wife and leaving his Indian Hill farm at West Newbury in

Report of the Investigating Committee. The report of the committee appointed by the board of directors of the American Telephone Company is as follows, with the exception of the

been paid out of the original payments by the members of the board who organized the company. There has been no need to use any of the cash received for stock sold to others than the directors. The parties and outfit sent to Venezuela to put up lines and arrange for extensive time fixed by the concession. But, unfortunately for the efforts of our competitors, we have begun operations in the republic of Venezuela. The urally, by reason of the fact that one member police regulations. It will be some days yet before of the board is found to have a bad record in the past. The inferences, since he had been the chief romoter of the enterprise in its inception, were of course all against the company. But it will be observed that the board is composed of men who stand as high in the esteem of their fellows and enjoy as clear character as any men in the country, and, although it was natural to conclude that here was something wrong, there is found nothing save the fact above mentioned to justify it. It is

> PRESIDENT BUTTERWORTH STATED stated at the office to-day that so far none of the stockholders had come in and asked to have their money refunded.

THE CLOSE OF THE SCHOOLS. The Colored High School Commence ments-The Scholarships.

medical and dental scholarships given by the National University were founded this year. The Kendall scholarship in Columbian College, founded st of those who have held it embraces many who have distinguished themselves as scholars or in

professional life. THE COLORED HIGH SCHOOL. The commencement exercises of the Colored High School, Mr. Francis F. Cardozo principal, will take place Friday evening at the Metropolitan A. M. E. church. The graduates are Anne L. B. Alexander, Amaleta Alexander, Medora Allen, Julia M. Alston, Clara G. Arnold, Mary E. Barney, Narcissa E. C. F. Beale, Henry N. Bowles, Annie D. Brooks, Mary E. G. Brown, Marie E. Bowle, Mary E. Clarke, Laura V. Collins, Marie A. Deitz, Sarah L. G. V. George, Fannie C. Glascoe, Isabel Kinner, Josephine D. Lewis, Marguerita L. Lucas, Fannie Martin, William Anna Nichols, Emma L. Pindle, Jesse N. Pearson, Maggie B. Saunders, Elizabeth A. Smith, Mary A. Stewart, Charlotte V. Stewart, Daniel B. Thompson, Catherine F. Wall, Mary L. Watson, Eulalia Wheeler, Marie I. Williams, and Ida C. Winslow.

The exercises, which will be interspersed with musical selections by Prof. Krause's orchestra, will be as follows: Salutatory, Eulalia Wheeler; class history, Emma L. Pindie; valedictory, Daniel B. Thompson; address to class, Rev. J. R. Riley; con-

As stated in yesterday's STAR, the commencement exercises of the Miner Normal School will take place at the school building at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. Commissioner Webb will deliver the certificates. In addition to the graduates who finish the year's course in the school, dipiomas will be conferred upon the following graduates of 1886 who have successfully Bessle Smith, Lyda E. Malvan, Jane L. Cox, Jane With buckshot, dying instantly. Noble escaped E. Thomas, Marcellina L. Brown, Mary M. Syphax, into the Indian Territory. Davis is said to have religious services on Sunday afternoons at school | Georgia Brooks, Limity N. Sewan, College, Alice V. of Noble. man, Nannie T. Jackson, Sarah J. Riddles, Annie V. Smith, Caroline H. Thomas, Martha Liggons, Rosa Johnson, Hattle V. Lee, Josephine E. Walker, Sarah E. Ratcliffe, and Eliza C. Davis.

> The Missing Mr. Clare. OFFICERS SHANKS AND MURPHY INVESTIGATE.

Last evening, after Mrs. Clare reported to the police the mysterious diappearance of her husband, Wm. A. Clare, from their home on the farm of Mr. Jas. Garrity, in Montgomery County, Md.,

Telegrams to The Star.

More Failures and the Bears Rampant

AN ALLEGED DYNAMITE PLOT.

NO USE FOR MOLONEY IN NEW YORK.

Bodyke Evictions Coming Up in Parliament

THE BRUTALITY AT BODYKE. The Parnellites Will Raise the Question in Parliament-Chamberlain as

a "Statesman." Special Cable Dispatch to THE EVENING STAR. London, June 15 .- The government will be severely and directly challenged for their treatment of the Bodyke evictions. King Harman has given currency to false reports of the conduct of the police and emergency men. He will be confronted by the sworn affidavits of a colony of English visconcession concerning such extension would be itors. If necessary, Col. Turner's own evidence received by the next steamer. The exact facts will be brought to bear against the Irish under secretary. The Irishmen are determined to raise the question in parliament, and are preparing a striking case against the conduct of the evictions. The Ulster wing of the liberal unionists are gravely concerned at the bad work which the bring as good prices, if not better than before the lords have done on the land bill. An effort will be break. Wheat at 75 cents a bushel is better than made in the house of commons to restore the provision in the bill for the revision of judicial rent.

Hartington and Chamberlain, however, are forcing their followers to widen the breach between the Gladstonians and themselves. Chamberlain's speech yesterday was the most irreconcilable ut-terance he has ever delivered. He declines Glad-stone's offer of reunion, and hints in one specially brutal sentence that the unionists are simply waiting for Gladstone's death. Chamberlain is now in a state of exasperation and obstinancy peculiar to him. He formally breaks with the old radical party and declares himself to be no longer a radical, but a statesman pure and simple. This means that the flatteries showered upon him by kets are generally steady.

AN ALLEGED DYNAMITE PLOT. What the London Police are Said to Have Discovered. LONDON, June 15.—The Central News Issues the following: A dynamite plot to be carried out during the celebration of the queen's jubilee has

been discovered. The police are reticent about it.
The details will probably be made known to-TO LEARN WHAT SUNDAY IS LIKE. All St. Louis Saloons and Places of

made here for the putting into effect of the Sunday law, as provided by the legislature last winter. Under this law all saloons, beer gardens, billiard cooms, shooting and bowling galieries, theaters, and base-ball parks must close. The police comnissioners have instructed the chief of police to igorously enforce the law. The salson has held two or three meetings, and decided to close all the saloons in the city next Sunday, the day the law goes into effect, except Schneider's garden, which will be kept open in order to test the constitutionality of the law.

THE DAUNTLESS DAMAGED.

in the Jubilee Race. yacht Dauntless, which is taking part in the ubilee yacht race around the British isles, was run into, off Aldeburgh, during this morning, by the steamer Pandora. The Dauntless received

only trifling damage. General Foreign News. MADRID, June 15.—Senor Balagur, minister of the

to every Cuban who pays \$40 in taxes the right to vote in elections for members of the cortes. BISMARCK GOING TO KISSINGEN. Berlin, June 15 .- Prince Bismarck will go to Kissingen in August. Big Increase in Manitoba's Wheat

OTTAWA, ONT., June 15 .- The first crop bulletin of the Manitoba department of agriculture, which has just been issued, shows an increase in the wheat area over that of last year of 47,563 acres, while the areas of oats and barley show decreases of 5.854 and 13,455 acres, respectively. The reports of the condition of the crops are most favor-Going to Investigate the Ore Handlers.

PITTSBURG, June 15 .- T. B. Barry and T. B. Mc Guire, of the general executive board of the Knights of Labor, were in the city to-day, en route afternoon between the strikers and non-unio workmen. The visit of the two members of the general executive board is expected to result in he board taking general action in regard to the

Iron Ore Discoveries in Wisconsin. LA CROSSE, WIS., June 15 .- There is much exitement over recent discoveries of iron ore in Buffalo County. Every shaft sunk shows rich deposits, and four companies have been organized the first one, the Buffalo County Mining Comany, has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$1,000,000. The iron range lies 4 miles east of the Burlington track, among the bluff towns. The ore is of fine quality, and is declared by geologists to be an original deposit.

A Slanderer Riddled With Shot. GALVESTON, TRX., June 15 .- A special from Clarksville says: A fatal shooting occurred on Monday near Manchester, 20 miles north. The Davis. The latter was at work in a field when the former rode up and called to him. Davis turned in response to the call and was literally riddled Georgia Brooks, Emily N. Sewall, Cornelia B. Cos- made disparaging remarks about female relatives

> Highwaymen in Kansas City. MANY ROBBERIES REPORTED-AN OFFICER SHOT BY A DESPERATE THIEF. Kansas Ciry, Mo., June 15.—Patrolman F. A. Register was shot in the left shoulder while attempting to capture a highway robber, at 10 o'clock last night. The same robber had just shot at a citizen and nearly killed him, the bullet grazing his left ing his left cheek. An organized gang of highway-men is supposed to be located in the city and a large number of robberies have occurred, especi-

ally during that portion of the month when there

England Will Not Yield. Constantinople, June 15.—Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, the special English representative to Turkey with reference to Egypt, has been instructed by his government to adhere to the terms of the convention with regard to Egypt recently concluded between Turkey and England.

Two Miners' Heads Blown Off. MARQUETTE, MICH., June 15 .- While J. C. Ryan and Harry Treloar were drilling out a blast which had missed fire in the Paint River mine at Crystal Fairs, yesterday, the blast went off, blowing off the heads and arms of both men and horribly nangling their bodies. Handsome Gift to Rochester University

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 15.—Don Alonzo Watson, a wealthy resident, has donated \$50,000 to the University of Rochester to endow a chair of political economy and history. The German Sugar Tax Bill.

Berlin, June 15.—On the sugar tax bill a com-promise has been effected between the conserva-tives, national liberals and the center, by which they have agreed to accept Count Chamare's proposals. These include a new tax of 80 prennings on beet-root and 12 marks per hundred-weight on sugar consumed in Germany, and a bounty of 83/ sugar consumed in Germany, and a bounty of 8% marks on exported raw sugar, 9 marks 77 pfennings on first-class retined sugar, and 9 marks 10 pfennings on second-class sugar.

Herr kickert has introduced in the reichstag an important proposal, namely, to annul some of the vexatious regulations connected with the corn trade. The national and center parties will support blim

The Apache Outbreak.

NO CHANGE IN THE SITUATION REPORTED.

TUCSON, ARIZ., June 15.—The situation of affairs in regard to the Apache outbreak is unchanged. It is supposed that the troops are still on the trail of the Indians. Gen. Miles passed through here Monday night.

long after midnight. The sight presented in the building there was lighted from top to bottom Even the casual observer would have suspected something wrong. There was no trouble in finding commission men who had been caught in the reat break of a few hours before, and less trouble In prevailing upon them to talk. The universal opinion was that everything hinged upon Ker-shaws ability to meet the demands for margins, and that unless he did so his failure would carry down from thirty to fifty houses. There were some few who thought that if Armour & Hutchinson and two or three of the other "big ones" come forward this morning and help sustain the market that a veritable panic could be averted, but even they claimed that a great deal depended on Mr.

THE PANIC IN WHEAT.

The Fate of Many Firms Depending on

Encouraging View of the Situation. CHICAGO, June 15,-There were many anxious

commission men in the vicinity of the board of trade last night. Their offices were lighted and

they and their clerks worked at their books until

Kershaw's Ability to Meet the De-

mands for Margins-Phil Armour's

PORTUNES LOST AND WON. What fortunes were lost and won during the day no one can accurately estimate. It is esti-mated that not less than 100,000,000 bushels were traded in during the day, representing an average loss or gain of 7 to 8 cents a bushel— 7,000,000 to \$8,000,000. There was a loss of over \$1,600,000 in eash wheat alone, besides the shrinkage on futures. One bear who sold largely early in the day and bought at the close is credited with clearing \$250,000 on the day's operations. The crowd of big bear scalpers made not less than \$1,000,000 altogether during the

President Wright, of the board of the trade, said to a reporter: "The effect of the break will be to clear the atmosphere, so that commerce can go on in its accustomed grooves. The tendency is to equalize this with the other markets of the world, and put stocks in their legitimate channels. The actual result, of course, is a rather serious one, but hope-in fact, have no reason to apprehend any-

A LESSON TO THE CORNERERS. A prominent broker said: "The market is now back in its normal condition, and not subject to abnormal influence. I don't think we will have any more cliques for a while yet, as the one just collapsed has bitten off more than it could chew and the lesson won't be forgotten soon. The matter, of course, is a serious one, but it will soon be all right again. The deal was undoubtedly the largest one ever run in Chicago, and there was more wheat bought than ever before. I do not apprehend any serious break from present prices as the market is now down to a level with other

ARMOUR'S HOPEFUL VIEW Mr. P. D. Armour, when asked what effect the panic would have on financial affairs, said: "None whatever. In a week from now you won't know that there was a wheat deal, or a coffee deal, either. The atmosphere will be all cleared up in less than a week from now. All the losses were made some time ago. The wheat was margined up to nearly its value, if not quite, and the banks were all amply secured. I don't look upon this break as any great calamity at all. Whateve wheat there is is wanted for export, and it will want the stuff, and they are going to have it. I is a good thing that this break came when it did. CHAMBERLAIN DECLARES HIMSELF A SIMON-PURE Most everybody expected it, and as soon as the flurry is over I believe that it will make money

Kershaw Will Probably Pull Through An extra edition of an evening paper says: The pull through, and that dozens of big failures that were imminent will be averted. Joe Wiltshire, of Cincinnati, the head and front of the wheat clique, with a number of friends, is in town with a pot of money to back up Kershaw. It is said that the Cincianati crowd will insist, before put-ting up, that Kershaw's trades be reinstated. This Eggleston, Kershaw's partner, is able to do himself if he chooses. Kershaw said, just before the opening of the

well founded, and that firm is apparently meeting all ciaims. Rumor puts the amount of money a their command at \$1,000,000.

THE BEARS HAMMERING AWAY. The bears are steadily pounding the market, however, and the prices since 10 o'clock have de clined. At 10:16 July wheat was 75c., from there it dropped to 741, then down to 745, then to 73%, then up an eighth to 74, and at 10:50 a. m. is at 74% at 10:15 a. m., and at 73 at 10:50 a. m.

FOUR SMALL FIRMS SUSPEND Soon after the opening President Wright an-nounced the suspension of three small firms, viz; J. H. Youst & Co., B. J. McCleary, and S. C. Orr. excitement, as they were in no way identified with the clique. At 10 o'clock the price was 77%c, for June and 75%c. for July. The suspension of Kick-

ering & Co., another small firm, was announced shortly after 10:00 o'clock. Much Excitement in St. Louis. Sr. Louis, Mo., June 15,-There was a great deal of excitement on the opening in the wheat pit this morning, but there was very little trading, the crowd anxiously awaiting reports from Chicago and closely watching the blackboard. On advices that money had been put up at Chicago, the market advanced & cent at the opening, but gradually dropped & cent. The crowd is bearish, and are still selling wheat, though there is some cover. ing by "shorts." The market opened for July at

764 cents; August, 764 cents; September, 77% New York Follows Chicago. New York, June 15, 11 a. m.—There is nothing special in the wheat market up to this hour olonies, will introduce in the cortes a bill giving Prices have been a little irregular, but there is absence of new features. The first sales showed a

> scalping nature. Complete Stagnation at Milwanker MILWAUKEE, June 15, 10:15 a. m .- Complete stagnation prevails on change this morning There is no excitement whatever. Traders are waiting for news from Chicago concerning the In tentions of C. J. Kershaw & Co. July wheat opened at an advance of I cent over last night's closing, but the report of three additional failures

Wall Street Not Much Affected. COME QUIET AND GO OFF A LITTLE. ing, and Texas Pacific, with a moderate busines in the remainder of the list. At 11 o'clock the market is quiet but firm.

New York, June 15.—Chas. Hewrokin, a Chicago operator, who joined the New York stock exchange on Jan. 16, 1886, notified that exchange this morning that he was unable to meet his contracts.

fell for the first call some hesitation was shown by low last night's closing prices, but in a few min-utes the hesitation disappeared, and the bidding became bolder, and prices advanced about ten

NOT CONCERNED ABOUT M Neither Side in the Sharp Trial Much day. The stories telegraphed from Lachine and expatriated ex-reading clerk of the board of alder men, had disappeared from his hotel and could not be found either in Lachine or Montreal, and was sup-posed to have come to New York to testify against

A Murderer Shot and Killed by a Com

refused, whereupon the constable shot him with a revolver, instantly killing him. The Trinks for Treason at Leipzig. day in the trial at Leipzig of the members of the French patriotic league, who are accused of high treason, showed that Bleek, one of the prisoners, had conated largely to the Republique Francaise's fund for the erection of a monument to Gambetta.

ASKING THE ANNULMENT OF TAX LIEN CERTIFI-CATES.—Messrs. Birney & Birney to-day, for George H, and Florence P. Hill, filed a petition for a writ

hates of advertising made known on application

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Washington News and Gossip.

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d tails of the murder are not known, but it appears that she had been threatened and persecuted by a couple of natives for some time.

Haven this morning to take part in the celebration of the dedication of the soldiers' and sailors' AMERICAN VESSELS IN ASIATIC WATERS .- DISpatches from the Asiatic station, dated Yokohama,

aminations have been held in the Quartermaster-General's Office, where a number of changes are

made up. The Civil-Service Commissioners want maker and J. L. Davis, of Ind.; Hatch and Ran-

ACTING CONSUL GENERAL. - The Secretary of the Treasury is informed through the Department of State that Mr. Nakagawa Tsunejero has been designated to act as Japanese consul-general at

GAUGER APPOINTED .- Chas. B. Creamer has been appointed internal revenue gauger for the ninth Pennsylvania district-Harrisburg.

Fevre leaves for Ohio this afternoon. SOCIETY NOTES. The President, since his return from Saranac.

Mr. and Mrs. Nixon will return to the city on the

ection districts in North Carolina known as the ond attempt may result fatally. She is from fourth, fifth, and sixth were recently consolidated King George County, Va., where it is said she deand two new districts created, named the fourth serted her husband and two children nearly a year and fifth. The new fifth district included the ago. For several months she had been living with whole territory of the old sixth, with the addi- George Little, a painter, on Delaware avenue. tion of six counties taken from the old fifth. The Little was suspected of having been with "Billy" effect of the consolidation was to leave Maj. C. | Williams when Officer Arnold was killed in Alex-Dowd, the collector of the old sixth district, andria on the night of May 14, but the police the only resident collector in the new fifth, and found that he was not out of the city that to make Collectors Yarborough and Boyd as residents of the new fourth district. The recent order

Henderson, who now holds the seat.

ugene Griffin states:

"The law requires that inter-track spaces shall the last session of Congress. It is a handsome

Asphalt or distillate pavements could be laid by District at street intersections, but in my

WHY COL WILSON IS NOT WILLING TO USE POISON IN Col. Wilson is in daily receipt of numerous communications requesting him to see that the trees aterpillar nests. He is powerless in the matter, yound the parks and reservations. His workmen such additional legislation as may be deemed are still engaged in hunting the pests in the park trees with good results. Col. Wilson said to-day that he was adopting the best means of extermination known to nim. He did not doubt the effievery caterpillar escape than to harm one of the little children who thoroughly enjoy themselves daily in the shady parks. One of their

SECRET TRIAL OF POLICEMAN ROLFE IN THE FLOWER-The trial of Private Rolfe, of the Metropolitan lication of the proceedings would, in his opinion, The charge against Rolfe was the violation of one of the rules of the police manual, and it was ing cast-iron pipes and special castings—cast-iron stated that he pleaded guilty and made a state—pipes, to Camden Iron Works, 12-inch pipe, 9,000 ment substantially the same as published in THE STAR yesterday. Several other officers were

ontents, and that is the plan that we will pursue

REPORT OF THE BOARD TO SELECT DESIGNS FOR TWO The board, consisting of Capt. Ramsey, Chief able plans, has reported in favor of the design of hired labor, under the supervision of Chief Plans for the armored cruisers were received

resolution, which is printed elsewhere: "We first went over all the accounts; found everything right and square to a cent. The money used in procuring the concession, charter, books, and conducting the business of the company, has

operations are provided for, and are now in Caracas. We will hear from our agent by the first steamer. The cash received for stock sold by order of the board is in bank. We found, after the fullest investigation of every paper and fact connected with the enterprise, that the business of the company has been conducted with good judgment and fidelity. We found the concessions covers nine and three years, covering the exclusive right in this company to introduce and use sive right in this company to introduce and use telephones in the United States of Venezuela, excepting four cities, and, in regard to those cities, without concession we have the right, though not the exclusive right, to put up phones. And we are assured, by letter, the authenticity of which we have no reason whatever to doubt, that the concession to Gen. Padron has been extended to cover those cities; and further, that the president of the republic of Venezuela has agreed to extend the term of the nine to twelve years' concession to thirty-five years. It is not complete, but the evidence before the board contained in letters from Gen. Padron to Consul-General Gonzales satisfied us that the were stated in the prospectus. The circular by the secretary, which stated that the thirty-five years' extension was secured, stated it too strongly. We have had the fullest conference with the highest officials of the Venezuelan government in this country. We went over each and every point in the concession touching the rights, privileges, and limitations granted and imposed upon the company. We had full confirmation of the fact that the company which formerly had a concession had, by reason of bad service and breach of contract, their concession revoked. We were assured that our company would do a good business though possibly not so large as some parties interested anticipated. We ascertained that the government and the people were anxious to have the introduction of the system begun at once, and prosecuted vigorously. In all these interviews we could learn nothing to discourage, embarrass, or annoy the company. We found competitors in the field here. They were, and are now, ready and willing to purchase the franchise now owned by this company, if by hook or crook we can be prevented from commencing operations within the

a little singular that not one complaint has reached the company from the stockholders. The complaints come from those who have, so far as we know, no interest whatever in the enterprise." vacant by the resignation of Vice-President Tyrer would not be filled for some days yet. It was also

The college scholarships offered to the High school pupils were awarded last night at the school board. For the first time since the scholarship was founded the King scholarship at Dickinson College was awarded to a young lady, Miss Clara P. Ashley, of the Washington High School. The Kendall scholarship, which was formerly awarded after a competitive examination, and for which there was annually, for many years, great rivalry among the school districts, is now given to the High School boy entering for it who has the best record. The only scholarships now those at the Boston University, for which there were no applicants this year, and at Cornell University. The Boston scholarship is given alterladies from the Washington High School the Miss Wolhaupter, who graduates next year, and Miss O'Hagan, who has just completed her first year there. The Cornell scholarship, awarded to Harrison L. Stidham, is open to boys and girls of both the white and the colored High School. The

terring diplomas. THE MINER NORMAL SCHOOL

about 7 miles from this city, as published in yesterday's STAR, Officers Shanks and Murphy were ference of the Commissioners over the police regu-lations yesterday, but called on private business. sent from the station in West Washington to learn what they could about the case.

It was late when the officers arrived in the neighborhood, and they did not go to the house of Mrs. Clare. They visited the house of Mr. Garrity, where they obtained information which led them to believe that Clare had left his home on account of unpleasant domestic relations. The officers failed to find any person who had seen Clare since Washington Social Circles to be Startled

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Marshall P. Wilder to me, to Hon. John Jas. Curhouse this afternoon and interview the occupants house this afternoon and interview the occupants

TRYING TO CHECK THE WHEAT PANIC The Cincinnati Backers to the Rescue

hing further."

board this morning: "I will pay my difference to-day and margins to the market." Wiltshire said; "Kershaw has the money, and will go through to-day all right." CRICAGO, June 15, 11 a.m.-The announcemen in regard to Kershaw & Co. seems to have been

The June option has also declined, selling There was an enormous crowd on the floor and in the galleries of the board of trade long before the opening hour this morning. When the bell sounded at 9:30 a roar went up and the day's sesston began. The first sales of wheat were at advance of 1 c. and 1 c. respectively.

gain of ½, but a realizing movement soon set in leading to a break of ½ to ½. The speculative dealings are more moderate, and mainly of a

at Chicago knocked it down I .c., and it now rules weak at 74%. No failures have been reported here thus far. STOCKS OPEN ACTIVE AND STRONG, BUT LATER BBopened active and strong at advances over last evening's final figures of from ', to ', per cent, the latter in New England and Northern Pacific preferred. The activity was of but short dura-tion, however, and the market became quiet, and although further slight advances were recorded in the early dealings, prices early began to sag A better tone was noticeable late in the hour and the best figures were then reached. Th most conspicuously active stocks were Erie, Read-

COFFEE GROWING STRONGER. sumed a natural tone and there was no excitemen in the trading at the opening. When the gave buyers and the early transactions were a little be-

Interested in Billy's Movements. NEW YORK, June 15 .- The jury and the counsel were tardy in their arrival at the Sharp trial to-Montreal, to the effect that "Billy" Moloney, the posed to have come to New York to testify against sharp, created quite a flurry among the reporters, but it did not seem to disturb the equinimity of sharp or counsel for either side. Sharp's counsel smiled at the suggestion that Maloney is coming or is here, and Mr. Semple, of the prosecution, said that the prosecution has not secured Moloney, does not expect to secure him, and, more than that, he was not needed. Fitty-five of the twentieth panel of 160 talesmen answered to their names. Alexander E. Sweet, editor of Texas Siftings, was given a seat in the jury-box, but was immediately challenged by the prosecution.

PORTLAND, OREGON, June 15.—Last Saturday Levi Backus and G. D. Stoddard, neighboring farmers, living near Vernona, Columbia County, quarreled over a division line fence, and Backus shot and killed Stoddard. Backus then fied. Constable Mellinger started in pursuit. The constable came upon him and ordered him to halt, Backus, who was armed with a Winchester rifle, proposed, whereupon the constable shot him with a

H, and Florence P. Hill, filed a petition for a writ of certiorari against the District of Columbia and J. W. Hyatt, Treasurer of the United States, to annul certain tax lien certificates. They represent that they own lot 82, square 365, fronting on P street northwest; that the District has no proper statement of costs or officially authenticated assessment, and gave no notice to the proprietor, nor did they issue the lien certificates for several years, and they ask that the certificates, amounting to about \$1,200, be annulled.